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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA (Western
Division - Los Angeles)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 2:07-cv-02253-GHK-AJW**

Lois Grady et al v. Menu Foods Income Fund et al
Assigned to: Judge George H. King
Referred to: Magistrate Judge Andrew J. Wistrich
Demand: \$5,000
Lead case: 2:07-cv-01958-GHK-AJW
Member case: (View Member Case)
Case in other court: Superior of Court for the County of Los Angeles,
BC368561
Cause: 28:1446 Notice of Removal - Personal Injury

Date Filed: 04/05/2007
Date Terminated: 08/16/2007
Jury Demand: Both
Nature of Suit: 365 Personal Inj. Prod. Liability
Jurisdiction: Diversity

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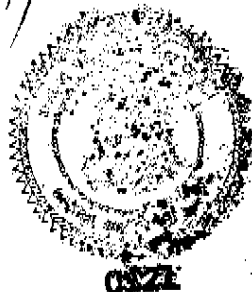
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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
03/10/2007	5	MINUTES OF IN CHAMBERS ORDER held before Judge Dean D. Pregerson : This action has been assigned to the calendar of Judge Dean D Pregerson. Counsel are referred to the courts website for additional information. It is not necessary to clear motion date with court clerk prior to filing the motion. Court hears motions only on Mondays at 10:00 AM.Court Reporter: none. (lc,) (lc,) (Entered: 04/13/2007)
04/05/2007	1	NOTICE OF REMOVAL from Superior Court of CA for the County of Los Angeles, case number BC368561 with CONFORMED FILED copy of summons and complaint.Case assigned to Judge Dean D. Pregerson, Discovery to Magistrate Judge Paul L. Abrams. (Filing fee \$ 350 PAID.), filed by Defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Limited, Menu Foods Operating Limited Partnership, Menu Foods Midwest Corp., Menu Foods, Inc. (et) (Entered: 04/13/2007)

04/05/2007	2	NOTICE of Interested Parties filed by Defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Limited, Menu Foods Operating Limited Partnership, Menu Foods Midwest Corp., Menu Foods, Inc. (et) (Entered: 04/13/2007)
04/05/2007	3	PROOF OF SERVICE filed by defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Limited, Menu Foods Operating Limited Partnership, Menu Foods Midwest Corp., Menu Foods, Inc. re Notice to adverse party of removal to Federal Court Removal[1], was served on 4/5/07. (et) (Entered: 04/13/2007)
04/05/2007	4	JOINDER of Notice of Removal of action [1] ,filed by Defendant Nutro Products (et) (Entered: 04/13/2007)
04/05/2007		FAX number for Attorney Andrew H Friedman, Gregory D Helmer is 310-396-9215. (et) (Entered: 04/13/2007)
04/05/2007		FAX number for Attorney Paul L Hoffman is 310-399-7040. (et) (Entered: 04/13/2007)
04/05/2007		FAX number for Attorney Gina E Och is 213-623-6336. (et) (Entered: 04/13/2007)
04/05/2007		FAX number for Attorney Gary L Justice, William E Wegner is 213-229-7520. (et) (Entered: 04/13/2007)
04/09/2007	7	NOTICE of Related Case(s) filed by Plaintiff Kaye Steinsapir. Related Case(s): CV 07-1958 GHK (AJWx) (rn,) (Entered: 04/17/2007)
04/16/2007	6	DEMAND for Jury Trial filed by plaintiffs Lois Grady, Kaye Steinsapir (lc,) (Entered: 04/17/2007)
04/23/2007	12	STIPULATION Extending Time to Answer the complaint. Menu Foods Income Fund answer due 5/23/2007; Menu Foods Limited answer due 5/23/2007; Menu Foods Operating Limited Partnership answer due 5/23/2007; Menu Foods Midwest Corp., answer due 5/23/2007; Menu Foods, Inc. answer due 5/23/2007. filed by defendants Menu Foods Income Fund; Menu Foods Limited; Menu Foods Operating Limited Partnership; Menu Foods Midwest Corp.; Menu Foods, Inc. (esa,) (Entered: 05/15/2007)
04/24/2007	8	FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT against Defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods, Inc., Menu Foods Limited, Menu Foods Operating Limited Partnership, Menu Foods Midwest Corp., Chem Nutra Inc., Petco Animal Supplies, Inc., Nutro Products, Inc. and Does 1 through 10, inclusive; Party Party Foods, Inc. terminated amending Complaint [1]; with Jury Demand filed by Plaintiffs Lois Grady, Kaye Steinsapir, Barbara Gonzales, Frank Bodeman and Craig Anderson. (gk,) (Entered: 04/26/2007)
04/24/2007		ISSUED 20-Day Summons re First Amended Complaint [8]. (gk,) (Entered: 04/26/2007)
04/25/2007	9	FIRST STIPULATION to a thirty (30) day extension of time for defendants Nutro Products and Petco Animal Supplies Inc to respond to the initial complaint in this action filed by defendants Petco Animal Supplies, Inc., Nutro Products Inc. (bg,) (Entered: 04/27/2007)
04/25/2007	10	STIPULATION Extending Time to Respond to Complaint filed by plaintiffs Lois Grady, et al, and defendant Nutro Products Inc. Pursuant to LR 8-3, counsel for plaintiffs hereby stipulates to a 30 day extension of time for defendants Nutro Products and Petco Animal Supplies, Inc. to respond to the initial complaint in this action. (pcl,) (Entered: 05/01/2007)
04/30/2007		PREPARED ORDER RE TRANSFER Pursuant to General Order 224 (Related Case) by Clerk; related to CV 07-1958 GHK (AJWx). (rn,) (Entered: 04/30/2007)
05/07/2007	11	ORDER RE TRANSFER PURSUANT TO GENERAL ORDER 224 -Related Case-filed. Related Case No: CV 07-1958 GHK (AJWx). Case transfered from Judge Paul L.

		Abrams and Dean D. Pregerson to Judge George H. King and Andrew J. Wistrich for all further proceedings. The case number will now reflect the initials of the transferee Judge CV 07-2253 GHK (AJWx). Signed by Judge George H. King (rn,) (Entered: 05/07/2007)
05/07/2007		Cases associated with Lead Case CV 07-1958 GHK (AJWx) (rn,) (Entered: 05/07/2007)
05/14/2007	13	NOTICE OF MOTION AND MOTION to Stay pending all proceedings; Memorandum of Points and Authorities filed by Defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Limited, Menu Foods Operating Limited Partnership, Menu Foods Midwest Corp., Menu Foods, Inc., Motion set for hearing on 6/11/2007 at 09:30 AM before Judge George H. King. Lodged Order. (et) (Entered: 05/17/2007)
05/14/2007	14	REQUEST FOR JUDICIAL NOTICE MOTION to Stay pending all proceedings [13] filed by Defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Limited, Menu Foods Operating Limited Partnership, Menu Foods Midwest Corp., Menu Foods, Inc. (et) (Entered: 05/17/2007)
05/14/2007	15	DECLARATION of GINA E. OCH in support of MOTION to Stay pending all proceedings [13] filed by Defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Limited, Menu Foods Operating Limited Partnership, Menu Foods Midwest Corp., Menu Foods, Inc. (et) (Entered: 05/17/2007)
05/15/2007	16	ORDER REGARDING CASE MANAGEMENT by Judge George H King: This case has been assigned to the calendar of Judge George H King. Court fully adheres to Rule 1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, which requires that the Rules be construed to secure the just speedy and inexpensive determination of every action. A Courtesy copy of all papers filed with the court shall be delivered to chambers at Room 660 Roybal Federal Building on the day of filing (See document for further details) (ir,) (Entered: 05/17/2007)
05/15/2007	17	EX PARTE APPLICATION to Shorten Time to Hear motion to stay all proceedings; Memorandum of Points and Authorities filed by Defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Limited, Menu Foods Operating Limited Partnership, Menu Foods Midwest Corp., Menu Foods, Inc. Lodged Proposed Order. (ir,) (Entered: 05/17/2007)
05/15/2007	18	DECLARATION of Gina E Och in support of its Ex Parte application for an order Shortening Time to Hear motion to stay all proceedings [17] filed by Defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Limited, Menu Foods Operating Limited Partnership, Menu Foods Midwest Corp., Menu Foods, Inc.. (ir,) (Entered: 05/17/2007)
05/16/2007		PLACED IN FILE - NOT USED re Order shortening time to hear motion to stay all proceedings submitted by Defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Limited, Menu Foods Operating Limited Partnership, Menu Foods Midwest Corp., Petco Animal Supplies, Inc., Nutro Products Inc, Menu Foods, Inc., Chem Nutra Inc. (et) (Entered: 05/17/2007)
05/16/2007	19	OPPOSITION to Defendants Ex Parte Application for an Order shortening Time to Hear motion to stay [17]; Memorandum of Points and Authorities and Declaration of Michael D Seplow in support thereof filed by Plaintiffs Lois Grady, Craig Anderson, Frank Bodeman, Barbara Gonzales, Kaye Steinsapir. (ir,) (Entered: 05/17/2007)
05/16/2007	20	MINUTES: (In Chambers) Order regarding Defendants Ex Parte Application for an Order shortening time to hear motion to stay all proceedings [17] is GRANTED. Defendants Motion to Stay [13] is hereby TAKEN OFF CALENDAR and its hearing date is VACATED. Plaintiff shall file any opposition to the Motion by no later than 5/21/07 after which the motion will be taken under submission IT IS SO ORDERED by Judge George H. King Court Reporter: N/A. Tape #: N/A. (ir,) (Entered: 05/17/2007)
05/16/2007		***Terminated hearing date on Defendants Motion to stay pursuant to Minute Order file 5/16/07. (ir,) (Entered: 05/17/2007)

05/18/2007	22	Joint STIPULATION for Extension of Time to respond to First Amended Complaint to 6/26/2007 filed by defendant Chem Nutra Inc. (klg,) (Entered: 05/22/2007)
05/18/2007	23	CORPORATE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT filed by Defendant Chem Nutra Inc (klg,) (Entered: 05/22/2007)
05/18/2007	24	CERTIFICATION as to Interested Parties filed by Defendant Chem Nutra Inc. (klg,) (Entered: 05/22/2007)
05/18/2007		FAX number for Attorney Anthony G Brazil, Wendi J Frisch, David J Vendler, Megan S Wynne is 213-488-1178. (klg,) (Entered: 05/22/2007)
05/18/2007	28	AMENDED NOTICE OF ADDRESS of Court on Defendants Menu Foods Motion to Stay all proceedings [13] filed by Defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Menu Foods Limited, Menu Foods Operating Limited Partnership, Menu Foods Midwest Corp.,, Menu Foods, Inc.. (ir) (Entered: 06/05/2007)
05/21/2007	21	PROOF OF SERVICE of Order RE: Case Management filed by plaintiffs Lois Grady, Craig Anderson, Frank Bodeman, Kaye Steinsapir, was served on 5/17/07. (klg,) (Entered: 05/22/2007)
05/22/2007	25	ORDER STAYING ALL PROCEEDINGS AND FOR PRESERVATION OF EVIDENCE by Judge George H. King: IT IS ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that this matter including the deadlines for the parties to participate in class certification and other pretrial proceedings be stayed pending decision of the Panel on MDL on the pending motions to transfer and coordinate/consolidate pending actions. Counsel shall file a joint status report within 48 hours of such decision by the panel or within 30 days hereof, whichever is sooner. (klg,) (Entered: 05/24/2007)
05/23/2007	26	ANSWER to First Amended Complaint [8] filed by defendant Petco Animal Supplies, Inc.(klg,) (Entered: 05/24/2007)
05/23/2007		FAX number for Attorney Mark C Goodman, Ethan A Miller is 415-393-9887. (klg,) (Entered: 05/24/2007)
05/23/2007	27	CERTIFICATION and Notice of Interested Parties filed by Defendant Petco Animal Supplies, Inc. (klg,) (Entered: 05/24/2007)
06/21/2007	29	JOINT STATUS REPORT (bg) (Entered: 07/07/2007)
07/20/2007	30	NOTICE of Conditional Transfer Order of Tag-Along Cases Issued by the Judicial Panel on MultiDistrict Litigation filed by defendants Menu Foods Income Fund, Foods, Inc., Menu Foods Limited, Menu Foods Operating Limited Partnership, Menu Foods Midwest Corp.,, Petco Animal Supplies, Inc., Nutro Products Inc. (ad) (Entered: 08/08/2007)
08/16/2007	31	CONDITIONAL TRANSFER ORDER (CTO-1) from the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, MDL 1850, transferring case to USDC, District of New Jersey at Newark. Original file, certified copy of the transfer order and docket sheet sent. (MD JS-6. Case Terminated.) (jp) (Entered: 08/17/2007)
08/17/2007	32	Transfer Out of Transmittal Letter, Certified copy of the docket sheet and certified copy of Conditional Transfer Order from MDL Panel and entire original file sent to USDC, District of New Jersey at Newark on 8/17/2007. (jp) (Entered: 08/17/2007)

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